IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Frank W. Ahern

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Serial No.:

09/819,053

Examiner:

Lefkowitz, Sumati

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For:

SYSTEM ENABLING DEVICE COMMUNICATION IN AN EXPANDED

COMPUTING DEVICE

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

April 18, 2005

Commissioner For Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R, 1.8(A)

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Trish Paramore

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004 Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of pending Claims 1-5, 7-8. Applicant respectfully submits that independent Claim 1, as amended in the Preliminary Amendment, provides antecedent basis for the elements recited in dependent Claims 7-8.

A check for \$210.00 is enclosed for the Two Month Extension Of Time. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1752.

Respectfully Submitted

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## **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004 and in view of the Request for Reconsideration filed August 23, 2004 please amend the above identified application as follows:

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